

(By Andrew Whitaker)

W. B. Rook of Gore Springs, Miss., in Saturday morning and paid his son's subscription. Mr. Rook is a remarkable person, to say the least. He will be 95 years old this year. His wife will be 80 years old May. They have been married 60 years. Mr. Rook is strict about never being late to anything or anybody. Mr. Rook has many things to be thankful for, among them are: his good health, the fact that he has a comfortable home, and that he does not owe anyone a penny.

When talking to Mr. Rook about being 95 years old, he said: "Any man who can get a woman, getting a WIFE is something to be thankful for."

The above, gives me hope for our man, Mr. Austin.

Mr. Warner Horton was down in Grenada the other day to see his father, Mr. Finley Horton and nephew, Earl Horton. Mr. Warner has moved from over in the delta, to Box 204, Oakland, Miss.

I didn't already own a television and a radio. I wouldn't buy one until something is done to completely mess up reception. (I know that I know that I have a set, you know what I'm talking about. I don't know who should find this damnable. BUT, if I was trying to find what is causing this interference, and get it corrected. What kind of motor that causes it to come on about every 15 seconds, and if off for about the same length of time. God knows it's worrisome!

There hasn't been too many fish caught LEGALLY out at the spillway lately.

If you need some posted signs, we have a few printed up.

Any body wanting to get anything for next week's GCW (our Christmas program), will have to have their copy in by Tuesday.

I am trying to make a linotype operator out of Fred Austin. When he gets real good at it, I am going to call him J. Fred.

I heard the other day that some commercial fisherman up in Grenada Lake is using nets with a 2-inch mesh. If this is true, it must be stopped. This is what has about ruined Sardis Lake, and will ruin Grenada Lake if it isn't stopped.

I rode down the Double-Cypress Road and on down to Wolfe Lake last Saturday afternoon. I was surprised to see a nice club house on the bank of Wolfe Lake. It belongs to Mrs. Duweber in Greenwood. On the way out, I saw a big buck deer standing in the middle of the road.

I don't know about other people, but I will be glad to see Christmas and New Years, come and go.

Mr. Tom Beckwith of down about Duck Hill made his annual visit to the GCW office Tuesday, to get a box of our Christmas cards.

Mrs. Julia Talbert has been out getting Christmas greeting ads for us. She is a hustler.

Mrs. Talbert brought us some home made candy Wednesday that was about the best I have ever eaten.

The Grenada Municipal Swimming Pool won't seem the same with "Miss Nannie" not there.

I am glad that this Christmas comes on Sunday, as Christmas day always seems like Sunday anyway.

According to the duck hunters, there is still a good many duck out on Grenada Lake, but it is next to impossible to kill any of them.

From the looks of the nuts and candy our Green Street neighbor, Lewis "Heckle" Marascallo has sacked up, he anticipates a good business before Christmas.

We had to use one of our substitute paper-catchers this week, in the person of John Nall of Carroll County. He and J. Fred are big buddies. Walking down the street together, they put you in mind of Mut and Jeff.

# The Grenada County Weekly

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## First Presbyterian Church To Present Cantata Sunday Evening

"The Prince of Peace" by Ashford and Latta.

### PART I - THE PROMISE

1. Sing, O Heavens (Chorus)

2. The Heavenly King (Bass Solo) Mr. Thompson

3. And There Shall Come Forth (Quartet) Mesdames Pleasants, and Chamberlain; Messrs Johnson, and Thompson;

4. Fear Thou Not (Solo and Chorus) Mr. Neely;

5. Hail Bethlehem (Contralto solo) Mrs. See;

### PART II - THE FULFILLMENT

6. O Holy Night (Male Quartet) Messrs Johnson, Krueger, Thompson, and Neely;

7. There Were Shepherds (Soprano solo, Quartet and Chorus) Mrs. Pleasants;

8. Bright Star of Hope (Duet) Mrs. See and Mrs. Semmes;

9. March Of The Magi (Chorus for Male Voices);

10. O Blessed Lord (Solo) Mrs. Semmes;

11. Blessed Be The Lord God (Final Chorus).

Sopranos are: Mesdames E. R. Pleasants, D. D. Crawford, Patricia Peoples, Raphael Semmes, Jr., Thomas Grant and H. D. Lane.

Altos are: Mesdames Glenn See, E. L. Boteler, Jr., Lamar Chamberlain, W. B. Hoffa, Jr., Dean A. Bailey and Misses Mary Ann Carlson and India Crowder.

Tenors are: Dr. Wheeler Johnson and Mr. E. C. Neely, Jr.

Basses are: Messrs Stanley Krueger, Frank Horton, Joe Thompson.

Mrs. J. A. Sides, Director and Mrs. John Sage, organist.

### CHRISTMAS EVENTS

Sunday, Dec. 18 - 7:30 p. m. - Joy Gift and Christmas Cantata;

Wednesday, Dec. 21 - 7:30 p. m. - Christmas Carol Sing;

Sunday, Dec. 25 - 11 a. m. - Christmas Worship;

7:30 p. m. - Candle Light Carol Sing;

Wednesday, Dec. 28 - 7:30 p. m. - Mid-Week Prayer Service;

Sunday, January 1, 11 a. m. - New Year Sermon.

Miss Patricia Sage, who is studying voice and piano at the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago, will be in Grenada for the Christmas season and will sing at the First Presbyterian Church on a number of occasions: on December 18, at the Christmas Card Sing; on Christmas Day, at the Christmas Worship Service; and on Christmas Day, at the Candlelight Carol Service.

### First Methodist Church

Gena Brister will be presented in an Organ Recital Sunday afternoon, December 18 at 2:30 p. m. He will be assisted in several numbers by his teacher, Mrs. W. A. Lomax. The public is cordially invited to attend "THE CHRISTIAN STORY".

On Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock the Junior and regular Chorus of the First Methodist Church, will present in tableau and hymns "The Christian Story". Miss Louise Sharp, director of Christian Education, will direct the program. The annual White Gifts will be presented at this service.

All are invited to attend.

### First Baptist Church

On Sunday evening at 7:30 the combined Church and Chapel Chorus of First Baptist Church in Grenada composed of 60 voices, will present a Christmas Cantata, "Chimes of the Holy Night", by Holton.

Mr. Herbert Batson is director, and Mrs. J. G. Hardy is organist. Soloists will be Mrs. Jack Embry, Miss Mamie Willingham, Mrs. S. L. Morehead, Miss Sonja Strohm, Mr.

## Mrs. Nannie Alexander Died Here Last Friday

Mrs. Nannie Rayburn Alexander, 66, beloved Grenada matron, died suddenly at her home Thursday afternoon, December 8, 1955 at one o'clock. Her death came as a shock to her family and friends, however, Mrs. Alexander has been confined to her home for some time, a sufferer of arthritis. Her death was due to coronary thrombosis.

Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Garner Brothers Funeral Home with Dr. Joan Landrum, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was in Odd Fellows Cemetery.

A native of Lodi, Montgomery County, she was born February 17, 1889, the daughter of William Jasper Rayburn and Jennie Lee Aldridge Rayburn. They came to Grenada to live in March of 1899. She attended Grenada Schools where she graduated in 1907 and later taught at Graysport School and at Weir Springs, both in Grenada County. She served as manager of the Grenada School Cafeteria for a number of years, and for eight years was manager of Grenada's municipal swimming pool.

On August 1, 1910 she was married to Mr. Ward Alexander. Two children were born to this union. Mrs. Margaret Alexander Davis of Grenada and H. R. Alexander of Chattanooga, Tenn.

She was an active member of the First Baptist Church and WMU, as long as her health permitted her attendance. She was also active in Eastern Star Chapter here.

"Miss Nannie", as she was affectionately called by her friends, had one of the finest memories of anyone. She remembered birthdays, graduation dates, anniversaries, the dates when relatives or friends died, and was never in error. She often talked to the late Editor W. W. Whitaker, Sr., recalling incidents of their childhood here in Grenada.

She had a Christians beautiful faith, and was ever ready to contribute of her time and means to others. Among many other acts of kindness and friendship during the past twenty years, she has baked Christmas fruit cakes for her family and friends presenting them as much-appreciated gifts for Yuletide enjoyment.

"Miss Nannie" loved to help others. For this, and the very sweetness of her personality, she will be greatly missed.

Besides the above mentioned husband and two children, she is survived by two grandchildren, Wayne and Doug Alexander of Chattanooga, and two sisters, Mrs. Sam J. Simmons, Sr. and Mrs. Connie Rayburn Noble of Grenada and a brother, Johnny Rayburn of West Memphis, Arkansas.

Pallbearers were Messrs Byron Hunter, Bryan Baker, S. L. Davis, J. H. Biddy, William Wright and J. B. William Jr.

### Mrs. McClamrock Loses Sister

Mrs. Mike McClamrock's friends here grieve with her in the passing of her sister, Mrs. H. P. Haney in Meridian.

The deceased, 44 years of age, died of a heart attack Tuesday morning. Funeral services, with interment at Corinth, Miss. in the family plot, were held Wednesday at 3:30.



a little daughter at Grenada Hospital on December 12 for Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Hunt of Grenada.

Herbert Batson and Mr. Jay Gore Jr. The Quartet is composed of the voices of Mrs. A. F. Bailey, Jr., Mrs. Herbert Batson, Mrs. O. L. Kimbrough and Miss Helen Kimbrough.

The duet will be sung by Messrs Archie Mitchell and Herbert Batson. The annual White Christmas gifts will be presented Sunday, at Sunday School, Eleven o'clock and evening worship. Gifts will be received until Thursday, December 22. All adults and children are urged to bring their gifts.

Radio Station WNAC will present "The Baptist Hour", Monday, Dec. 19 at 8:30 a. m. Dr. Roy McClain, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Atlanta, Ga. will deliver the sermon.

## Mr. Pratt McMullen Is Heart Attack Victim

Mr. Pratt McMullen, 80, retired Delta farmer, of Shelby, died at midnight, Saturday, December 10, 1955 of a heart attack and funeral services were conducted Monday at 1 o'clock at Garner Brothers Funeral Home with the Rev. Felix Stuphin, Methodist minister, officiating. Interment was in the Shelby Cemetery family plot.

Mr. McMullen, a native of Grenada County, was the son of the late John O. and Sara Pratt McMullen. His wife and son, who died several years ago are both buried at Shelby.

He owned a large plantation and real estate interest in Shelby. He commuted to Shelby from Grenada, where he resided in a room in the home of Miss Minnie Lou Thompson on Kershaw Street.

His sister, Mrs. Sallie McMullen Irby, and members of her family are his nearest kin here. He has a grandson, Cpl. Murphree McMullen of Camp Hood, Texas, son of the late Pat McMullen, who arrived early Tuesday morning to attend the last rites.

Mr. McMullen was a member of the Shelby Methodist Church.

Grenada friends who attended the services in Shelby were: Mr. and Mrs. Louie Angevin, Mr. Henry Thompson, and sister, Miss Minnie Lou Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Irby, Mrs. Chester Irby and daughter Mary Louise, Mrs. Ora Irby, Mrs. Henry Alexander and the following pallbearers: Messrs Byron Hunter, Louie Angevin, J. D. Taylor, A. L. Ross, Ladron Vaughn and J. W. Hemphill.

## Resolution Of Respect For Deceased Mason

WHEREAS, Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom, has seen fit to take from us our Brother W. W. Whitaker, whose noble and exemplary life made this world better by his having lived among us; and

WHEREAS, We shall greatly miss our departed Brother and we regret his going; and we desire to express our sentiment in this matter and to make the said expression a part of the permanent records of this Lodge; and

WHEREAS, by the passing of this our Brother, we are solemnly reminded that sooner or later death overtakes every life. But, we are, also, reminded of that better part of life which survives the grave, and can never, never die;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY GRENADA LODGE NO. 31, F. & A. M. That we deeply regret the passing of our Brother, W. W. Whitaker, and we hereby extend our deepest sympathy to the surviving members of his family; that we hereby express our sentiments as above stated in the form of this Resolution; and that the Secretary is hereby directed to place the same upon the minutes of this Lodge and to give a copy to the family of our deceased Brother.

GRENADA LODGE NO. 31, F. & A. M. Jim G. Martin, Worshipful Master, Eli M. Whitaker, Secretary.

## Football Teams To Be Feted At Supper

The Grenada Bulldog Club will fete the members of the 1955 football teams, both varsity and Pee Wees, at seven o'clock Monday night at the Municipal building. All members of the football teams, the coaches and their wives and the cheer leaders for both squads, will be guests of the Bulldog Club and the program will feature Carl Walters, sports editor of the Jackson Daily News as the principal speaker.

Besides recognizing the individual players, over 80 boys, awards will be presented to the most improved player; the most valuable player, the best blocker, the best defensive player and the most valuable Pee Wee player.

The banquet will be open to members of the Bulldog Club and their guests at a charge of \$1.50 per plate. Members of the organization wishing to make reservations are asked to call Hugh Ketchum at 35 or Chick Lockett at 24 not later than noon Saturday.

## Achievement Banquet Is Huge Success

At the annual 4-H banquet at City Auditorium last Friday evening, approximately 100 in prize money was awarded to 4-H members.

This event, the Achievement Banquet, was attended by 160 persons all 4-H Club members and leaders. The toast master was Al Gully, president and welcome address was made by Rogers Bell, vice president of the Council.

Miss Betty Dyre, second place winner in public speaking, assisted in the duties of toastmaster. Miss Joy Fite directed the singing of America with Miss Patricia Dyre at the piano. Invocation was by Charles Carver, a first place winner in county corn contest. Donald Sulton led the 4-H Pledge. Garland Boyd, Jr., ventriloquist, and his puppet Elmer Peabody, delighted his audience with a fine show of talent.

Guests introduced were: L. H. Mosely, Stoneville, Northwest Dist. County Agent; Olive Dowell district home agent of Stoneville; W. H. Fedric, representative of the Mississippi Economic Council who made Forestry certificate awards; Garland Boyd, student at Ole Miss; City Manager John E. McEachin and wife; C. O. Sennett, County Agent; Don Skelton, assistant county agent; Ray McGee, assistant farm agent; Miss Bervile Elder, home demonstration agent; Ben Sanders, president of Grenada County Board of Supervisors; Albert Clark, Lewis Williams, Barty Fox, J. W. Bowen, Noel Staten, George Williams, John E. Gray, O. D. Spratlin, Jimmy Pinnix, Mrs. Arnold Dyre, E. H. White, president of Grenada County Farm Bureau, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Grimes and others.

Prizes were awarded to the young people from a fund contributed by Grenada County businessmen and firms.

Food Awards: Gore Springs - Mary Lynn Pyron 1st and Sara Dyre 4-Leaf, both, \$10.00; Betty Ann Williams, second, \$5.00. - Holcomb, Kate Ethel Steel, 1st, \$10.00; Margaret Hayward and Olga Mays, 4-Leaf and 1st, each \$10.00.

Clothing: - Holcomb, Charlotte Ann Gorman, 4-Leaf 1st, \$10.00; Nancy Lois McClelland, 4-Leaf 2nd, \$5.00; Joy Fite, Class I, 1st, \$10.00; Eunice Pay Hill, Class I, 2nd, \$5.00; Dorothy Lynn Hayden, \$10.00.

Grenada - Janice Willingham, 1st 4-Leaf, \$10.00; Josephin Gant, 4-Leaf 2nd, \$5.00; Agnes Martin, Class II 1st, \$10.00;

Gore Springs - Sara Dyre, 1st, \$10; Betty Dyre, \$10.00; Patricia Dyre, 2nd, \$5.00;

Leadership - Patricia Dyre, all classes, \$10.00;

Home Improvement - Elizabeth Rouse, Class I 4-Leaf, \$10.00; Betty Dyre, Class II, 1st, \$10.00; Patricia Dyre, Class II, 2nd, \$5.00;

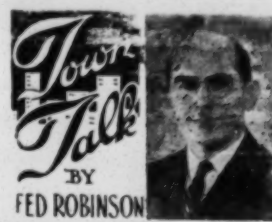
Personality - Betty Dyre, all classes, \$5.00; Dorothy Hayden, all classes, \$3.00;

Public Speaking - Ann Mitchell, all classes, 1st, \$10.00; Betty Dyre, all classes, 2nd, \$5.00;

Poultry - Mary Elizabeth Davis, 1st, \$10.00;

Garden, Olga Mays, 1st, \$10.00.

Boys award winner will probably be published next week.



FED ROBINSON

My wife tells me I must clean up the stack of old papers, notes and trivia piled up here on the typewriter table, so lets just run down through the stuff and see what we come up with. Here's a note which says: "write about the man who said 'I ain't lazy and I ain't afraid' I had kept that 'quote' because it so fully and accurately describes the kind of men who make successful salesmen. But I'll just throw it away because you ain't going to find many of that kind anyway. . . this little note tells of a laboratory in Paris, France where they make scales so delicate in precision that a person's breath ten feet away changes the balances. Well, that's not so new because our govern-

ment has a building in Washington, D. C. equipped with a burglar alarm system so sensitive that if a person enter the room his body temperature will set off the alarm bell, and that's pretty good protection for some things used in Washington, don't you think? . . . here's one about thrones. It is said that everyone has a throne of one kind or another in their lives. With some it's politics, stock market, duck hunting, fishing, or golf. And how do we work and strive to prevent anything from destroying our little thrones, or idols. Well, lets be careful of the value of things we place upon our throne making sure the thing we worship is something worthwhile. . . now here's a copy of The Grenada County Weekly dated October 18th, showing the last picture we'll see of Mr. W. W. Whitaker and a beautiful story about him by Ellett Lawrence. A lifetime friend will file that one away in memory of a man who probably lived more nearly like he wanted to live than any person I ever knew. When you talked with Mr. Whitaker, you knew immediately what he thought about a subject. He spoke his mind without reservation and in that way you always knew where he stood. That is a virtue every man doesn't have. Wish he and Will Rogers could have known each other better. . .

. . . this little note says: "In Genesis it is written that evening is first, then morning. Its the way of life. . . first we live through the dark evenings of life, then comes a bright sunny day - in heaven" . . . here's another one. . . "Life is too short for us to receive the rewards from both sowing harvest. More often the sower is not the reaper because what one sows another will reap." (there's no conflict here with "Whatsoever a man soweth that also he shall" . . . A proud man counts his newspaper clippings, the humble man counts his blessings. In the old days when a youth started sowing wild oats, father started the thrashing machine. . . Methuselah lived 969 years and there isn't a single thing recorded he ever did. Just listed lower is all. . . Two fishermen were diving alone a highway when they came to a crossroad with a "closed" sign blocking the road. But they thought they'd drive around the sign and after about 4 miles they came to an abrupt end of the road at a broken bridge. So they turned around and drove back and passed the road block again, they observed this inscription on the reverse side of the sign: "It was really closed, wasn't it?" . . . man to lady sitting directly in front of him: "Can you see the screen all right?" "Yes, fine, thank you." "Is there a draft bothering you?" "No, there isn't." "Scent comfortable?" "Yes, it is." "Mind changing places?" I don't know where I get these things. I hear them, see them and make notes of them and pile the notes on the little typewriter table. But must clear off the desk now and the waste basket is about filled and the pile is still a foot high. Will work on it again soon.

Best wishes. -Fed.

Remember, VFW members, the big Christmas Party is this Saturday night, Dec. 17th.



Bing Crosby and Rosemary Clooney

in scene taken from Paramount picture, wonderful technicolor musical "White Christmas", which opens Saturday at 10 p. m. at your Grenada Theatre and runs Sunday 2 and 4 p. m. and Monday.



## THE BIBLE SPEAKS

Background Scripture: Luke 3:21-22; 4:42; 5:16; 6:12; 9:18; 28:29; 10:21-22; 11:1-12  
Devotional Reading: John 17:13-24

### Man of Prayer

Lesson for December 18, 1955

SOME people will try to tell you that we can learn nothing from the fact that Jesus was a man of prayer. He was so different from us, they say, that we must no more try to imitate him than to imitate Einstein. This is not the way the New Testament looks at it, not the way Christian theology looks at it. Jesus "had to be made like his brethren in every respect," we are told in Hebrew 2:17. The church theologians call Christ "consubstantial with us according to his manhood," which is a way of saying that he is every bit as human as we are. Without sin, to be sure. The only prayer for forgiveness which he ever uttered was on behalf of others, not himself. If even the sinless Son of God was a man of prayer, surely we who are so imperfect and sinful need prayer even more; and we can learn about prayer from him.



Dr. Foreman

#### The Motive of Prayer

One thing stands out: Jesus' motive or motives for praying must have been far stronger than the motive of most of us. Jesus would go without sleep or rest in order to pray. He, a man who had many friends and loved to have people around him, would withdraw from all human companions, would go far into the hills, would climb a high mountain, just in order to find a place where he could pray without interruption. In short, he took a great deal of trouble to pray. We take less trouble, because we don't feel the strong desire that he felt. But why? What was his motive? It is not so mysterious that we cannot give it a name, though it is too profound for us to fathom it to the depths. It was his heart's desire for close and closer sharing of heart and life with the heart and life of the heavenly Father. Jesus shows no sign of needing to "get right" with God. He was in full harmony to his life's end. But his prayers were an expression of that harmony. The piano tuner makes the strings of the instrument ring true; but the musician then brings out the beauty that is there when all is in tune.

#### The Manner of Prayer

Dr. W. D. Chamberlain has written a book for plain Christians called "The Manner of Prayer," based on the Lord's Prayer. This is no place to borrow many pages from that fine book. Yet a word should be said about the manner of Jesus' prayer in general. We know that he used to attend the synagogue meetings, and we know that in those meetings formal (what we would call "printed") prayers were used, in which no doubt Jesus would join. But we hear a great deal more about his private prayers, and we can be pretty sure that for these occasions he never took a prayer book with him. His prayers were personal, individual, they were free, and many of them were fully private, strictly between himself and His Father. This much is clear for our own prayer-practice: whatever formal prayers we may use in church, or whoever may be praying there for us (and with us, if "leading" in prayer means anything), this can be no substitute for personal, private prayer. We must never be tied down to any formula, as if God were something like a bureaucrat who would not consider a communication not in proper form! God wants to know most of all not how we say it but how much we mean it.

#### The Matter of Prayer

What things is it right to pray for? We can be sure of this much at least: It is always right to pray for the kind of thing which is in harmony with the "Lord's Prayer." (Incidentally, the fact that this prayer appears in more than one form in the gospels shows that it can hardly be right to insist on one set form of words.) Things not mentioned in that prayer, perhaps yes; but things out of line with it, no. Let the reader consider which of these objects of prayer are in line with the Lord's prayer: A promotion in one's job? Greater spiritual strength? The cure of an afflicted loved one? Foreign missions? An unborn child? The President of the United States? The elimination of a rival in love or business?

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### Alva News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Fowler are now with the Earlwayne Patridge family for awhile. Visitors with Mrs. Fowler on Tuesday afternoon were Mrs. Magdie Fowler, Mrs. Andrew Fowler and baby of Sweetman, Mrs. Ruth Patridge Brisco of Kilmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Patridge, Zong Sue Ratliffe and Judy Wilson and Mrs. Marion R. Ingram.

Mr. T. L. Sledge and Miss Pattie Sledge made a business trip to Eupora Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Ingram were Wednesday dinner guests in the Dewitte Rose home in Grenada and visited Mrs. Laura Embry, Mr. and Mrs. Pink Pyron at the hospital, all gradually improving.

We regret the death of Mrs. Lon Gillon who died Friday at the home

of her son, Dewitte Gillon near Huntsville. Burial was in Parker Cemetery, following funeral service held at Hopewell Methodist Church. Mrs. Gillon was the oldest member of the Hopewell congregation. We extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Rev. Paul Weddie met his regular appointment Sunday at the Baptist Church with two fine messages. Mrs. L. C. Cohea has been in-doors

all week with a cold.

Mr. Emmis Macon of Slate Springs visited in the J. W. Vance home Saturday morning.

The Community Club and PTA met Friday night with a good program which was enjoyed by a large congregation.

Several of the ladies here have organized a Quilting Bee.

Sunday visitors in the W. A. Kelly home were the Pervey and Tom Kelly families of Winona.

The latest report is that Mr. Hightower is much better.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kelly Wednesday night visitors in the J. Shaw home.

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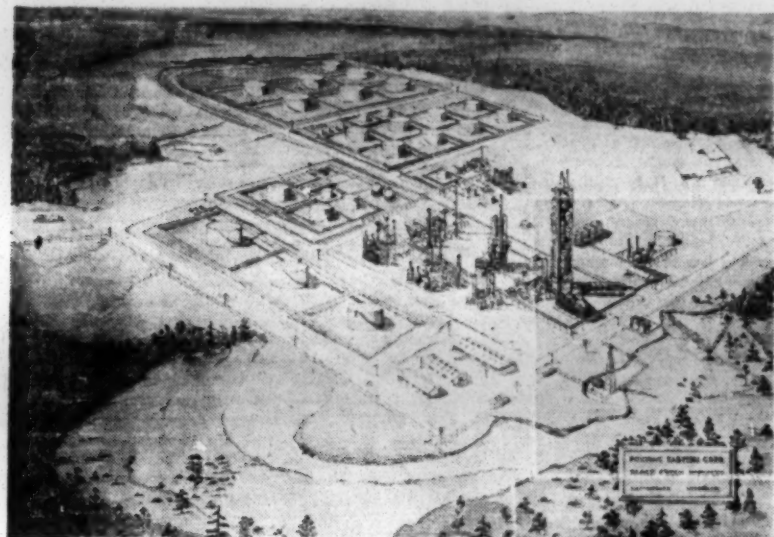
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### "Blue Chip" Industry For Mississippi...



An engineer's drawing of the \$18,000,000 oil refinery which Pontiac Eastern Corporation will build and operate on Black Creek in Lamar County, Mississippi.

## Big Lamar Refinery To Process State Oil

Pontiac Eastern, Gulf, State Officials Inspect Site of \$18 Million Plant

Construction of a real "blue chip" industrial plant, an oil refinery which will process Mississippi crude oil into gasoline and other products for sale throughout the South, is getting started on the banks of Black Creek in Lamar County.

In terms of total investment, the Black Creek Refinery will be one of Mississippi's largest industries. It will cost about \$18,000,000 to build and put into operation. Pontiac Eastern Corporation, Corpus Christi, Texas, will build and operate the huge refinery. The Gulf Refining Company will supply, from its production in the Baxterville and Heidelberg fields the volume of crude oil necessary to operate the refinery, and will purchase a large but undisclosed percentage of the refinery's products for sale through the Gulf's southeastern marketing organization.

The site of the Black Creek Refinery is in Lamar County, Mississippi, about three miles north of Purvis and twelve miles from Hattiesburg.

State officials, including Governor Hugh White and Governor-elect J. P. Coleman, inspected the plant site on December 6 along with Pontiac Eastern president Edwin Singer, Gulf Oil Corporation president W. K. Whiteford and other oil industry leaders from Mississippi, Texas and Gulf's Pittsburgh headquarters.

Singer and Whiteford outlined the operation of the refinery and the new process it will employ at a dinner in Jackson December 5. Hattiesburg Mayor Moran Pope acted as master of ceremonies at this dinner meeting which was attended by a number of Hattiesburg and Lamar County citizens who assisted the Pontiac Eastern Corporation in obtaining the Black Creek plant site.

Pontiac Eastern president Edwin Singer revealed that the Black Creek Refinery would consist of units for electric desalting, tar separation, thermal cracking, fluid coking, gas recovery, sulphuric alkylation, unifying and platforming. He estimated that these principal units, plus the attendant auxiliaries, tankage, shops, laboratories, etc., will represent a total investment of \$18,000,000.

Singer estimated that maximum employment during construction would reach 750, and that about \$7,000,000 would

be spent locally during the 15-month period of construction.

When the plant is completed, and in full operation, it will employ about 150 people and will generate local expenditures of approximately \$1,000,000 annually, Singer said. The refinery units to be built are designed to process up to 15,000 barrels of Mississippi crude oil per day.

The construction of the Pontiac Eastern Corporation refinery is under the supervision of the Fluor Corporation, Ltd., of Los Angeles, a widely-known firm specializing in the design and construction of oil and gas processing installations.

Financing for the huge Mississippi plant was arranged principally by the Mellon National Bank and Trust Company, Pittsburgh, and the Bankers Trust Company, New York.

In acquiring the Lamar County plant site, Pontiac Eastern Corporation purchased some 2000 acres, which is considerably more acreage than is necessary for the refinery alone. The potential for expansion and growth from this basic plant is evident in the fact that more than 2300 products, including a large number of plastics and chemicals, now can be manufactured from crude petroleum and by-products of refining.

The first announcement that Pontiac Eastern Corporation would build and operate a large oil refinery in Mississippi was issued by Governor Hugh White on December 6, 1954, after the governor and members of the Mississippi Agricultural and Industrial Board had met with officials of the Gulf Oil Corporation at Pittsburgh.

The twelve months since the governor's announcement have been consumed by the acquisition of a suitable plant site, preparation of the site, and necessary engineering studies.

A large percentage of Mississippi crude oil production is of low gravity, heavy and viscous, full of sulphur and asphalt. Until recently, the processing of such crude oil resulted in the recovery primarily of fuel oils and asphalt.

The big market for fuel oil and asphalt is the Eastern Seaboard, and refineries located there have been handling the demand for these products since long before oil was discovered in Mississippi.

Gulf's Interest The Gulf organization has been interested in a Mississippi refinery since the state's oil production reached a level which would support a local refining operation. Gulf markets a



EDWIN SINGER  
Pontiac Eastern Corp.



W. K. WHITEFORD  
Gulf Oil Corp.

complete line of petroleum products throughout Mississippi and the South, and the Gulf Oil Corporation's principal subsidiary, Gulf Refining Company, is Mississippi's foremost producer of crude oil, accounting for nearly one-fourth of the state's total oil output.

In the latter part of 1953, when Gulf's technical staff was committed to projects on a world-wide scale, the company asked Pontiac Eastern Corporation, an independent refining firm headquartered at Corpus Christi, Texas, to study the Mississippi crude oils with the aim of developing a new process by which a greater amount of the products for which there is a ready market in the South, could be recovered from the low gravity crude.

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#### Grenada Rotary Club Sponsors Annual Contest For Christmas Season

The Grenada Rotary Club announces a new kind of contest open to

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The Rotary Courtesy Contest is being sponsored by the local Rotary

Club with the idea of focusing attention upon the unusual need for gentleness and courtesy, both by customers and sales people, during the Christmas Season particularly, but throughout the year too; and also for the purpose of demonstrating that we in Grenada have the good fortune of being bountifully blessed with both efficient and courteous sales people in our stores and businesses, but also, that the people who trade in Grenada are, we think, very nice people, and even more so at the rushing and bustling Christmas trade time.

Here is the way the contest will operate and how you may enter:

If you are a sales person in a business house in Grenada or Grenada County:

1. Write a brief letter of not more than 100 words and tell us who one of your favorite customers is and tell what his or her particular courtesy is that makes that person one of your favorite customers; add any details of some particular incident of your customer's good manners and kindness and understanding in making purchases from you.
2. Mail your entry to Rotary Courtesy Contest, Grenada, Miss. on or before December 20th, 1955. It will be judged by a secret committee, and the name of your customer kept secret if you so request, but your winning entry will be publicized and you will, if judged the winner of your division, be awarded a prize of a \$25 Savings Bond.

3. All sales people are limited to one entry only, and the letter will be judged on the basis of the courtesy recited and not on spelling or grammar or expression. All letters will be retained by the Contest Committee of Rotary Club and all but the winning entry will be destroyed after judging.

If you are a customer of any business in Grenada County:

1. Write a brief letter of not more than 100 words and tell us who is your favorite Sales Person in Grenada or Grenada County, and add any details of some particular act of good manners or unusual courtesy by that Sales Person in making sales to you and why you think that person is a favorite of yours. Just any little act of courtesy may be recited and it may win you the prize for this division of the contest.
2. Mail your entry to Rotary Courtesy Contest, Grenada, Mississippi on or before December 20, 1955. Your entry will be judged by a secret committee, and if you are the winner your entry will be publicized and

you will win a \$25 Savings Bond.

3. Customers entering the contest are limited to one entry and the letter will be judged on the basis of the courtesy recited in your entry and not on the spelling, grammar or expression of the letter. All letters will be retained by the Contest Committee of the Rotary Club and all but the winning entry will be destroyed after judging.

There are no strings attached, you just write your letter and you may win a \$25 Savings Bond for Christmas.

The dead-line for entries is December 20, 1955, and the announcement of winners in each division will be made December 23, 1955.

It's easy to do - just put on your thinking cap - decide on your favorite and most courteous customer or sales person, write your letter, mail it to ROTARY COURTESY CONTEST, GRENADA, and you may be a bond winner December 23rd.

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Combine all ingredients in a pan. Pour the amount desired of chicken broth over them and set 30 minutes. Mix thoroughly until smooth. Bake in oven for 20-30 minutes. Serves 8.

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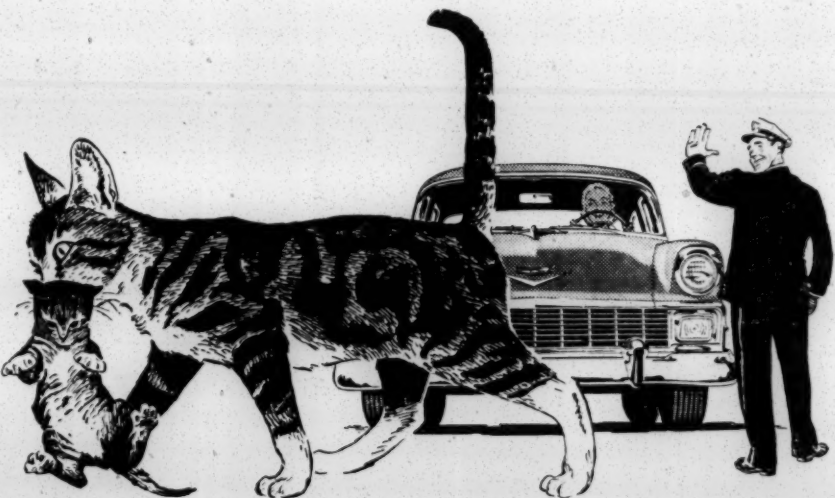


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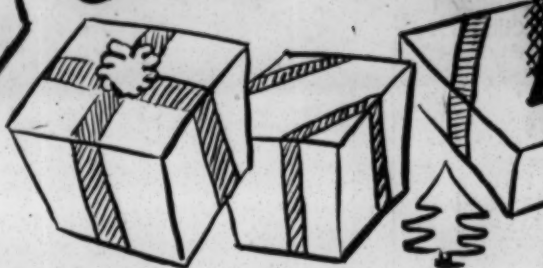


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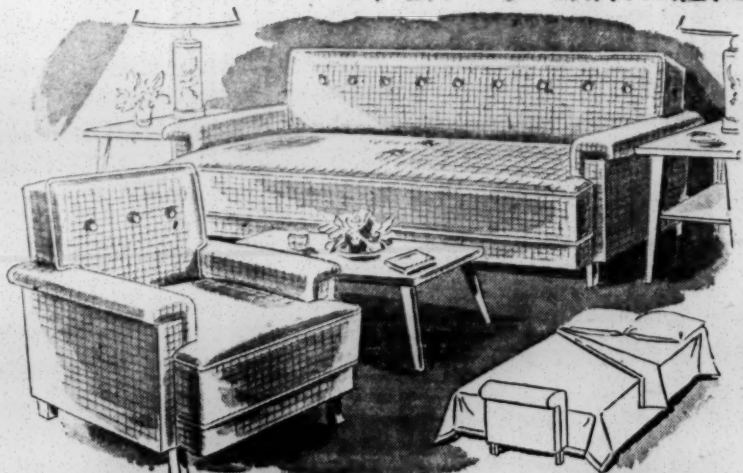


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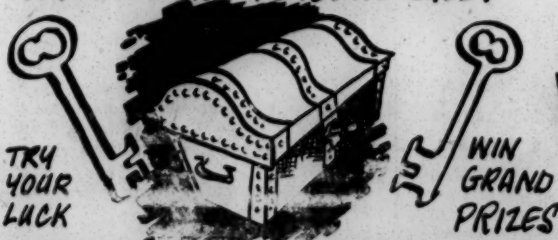
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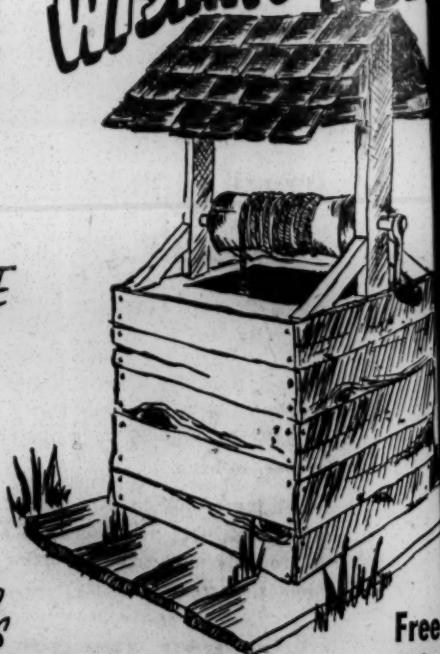
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## Local and Social Activities

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### PILOT CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Pilots of Grenada held their annual Christmas party Thursday night at the Monte Cristo with the Attendance and Extension Committee members as hostesses.

Yule decorations were attractively arranged on the dining table and at each plate individual Christmas packages were placed for the annual exchange of gifts which was greatly enjoyed by members.

Miss Mary Ella Collins gave the invocation after which Miss Edith Bell, president, welcomed the members. A brief business meeting was held during which the club voted to provide free school lunches to five colored children for the balance of the year at a cost of approximately \$100.00.

A contribution of \$5.00 was made to the Band Boosters' fund for the purchase of new band instruments, and \$10.00 was contributed to the Christmas Cheer fund.

Miss Bell, who attended the District III Pilot conference in Jackson, gave a report of the sessions.

Hostesses for the evening were: Mesdames Elizabeth Crawford, Elizabeth Wolter, Virginia Hubbard, Ruth Russell of the Attendance Committee and Mrs. Gladys Honeycutt, Miss Fay Parker, Mrs. Madge Angevin, Miss Mary Ella Collins and Miss Elizabeth Jones of the Extension committee.

Members attending included: Mary Ida Parks, Marie Portera, Corrie Perry, Mary Ella Collins, Bea Beard, Nan McCormick, Lucille Cook, Edith Hays, Iola Bell, Maggie Dell Morris, Ruth Russell, Evelyn Dickinson, Madge Angevin, Kathleen Watson, Min Grimes, Martha Rice, Bess Woods, Clara Criss, Edith Bell, Frances Murray, Fay Parker, Elizabeth Crawford, Gladys Honeycutt, Elizabeth Wolters, Virginia Hubbard. —Contributed.

### HUSBANDS HONORED AT DINNER

The Monte Cristo was the setting Friday night, when members of the Thursday Night Bridge Club entertained with their annual dinner honoring their husbands.

The delicious three-course meal was served from a table which was decorated with red poinsettias and silver candelabra holding gleaming red tapers.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Anderson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gore Jr., Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Liles, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rotter, Mr. and Mrs. John Keeton Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. Semmes, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Theisman, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Taylor. Unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. William Winter.

After dinner, games were enjoyed in the club room of the Community House which was decorated in the Christmas motif.

### CHRISTMAS IN CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Semmes, Jr. and two children, and their mother, Mrs. R. Semmes, Sr., will leave Monday, December 19 via train for Los Angeles, Calif. to spend Christmas with their sister and daughter, Mrs. R. R. Lawton, the former Olive Semmes and her husband, Attorney W. O. Semmes now plans to fly to California for a brief Christmas day visit with his sister.

Expected home from MSCW this weekend for the holidays are the following attractive young ladies: Misses Nell Rose Bain, Martha Carpenter, Margaret DeLoach, Alma Du-bard, Judy Lake, Annette Marascalco, Martha Page, Mary Virginia Sennett and Barbara Vance.

Mrs. La Mayne of San Antonio, Texas is a holiday guest of her children Dr. and Mrs. Ben Evans and

family. She is Mrs. Evan's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Calhoun are to spend this weekend in Jackson with their friends Mr. and Mrs. Howie.

Mrs. Albert George and Mrs. John Brewer spent Wednesday in Memphis.

Miss Adele Hoffa is visiting relatives in the Lake home in Memphis this week.

Benton Keeton of Memphis spent the past weekend here with his mother, Mrs. John Keeton.

Mrs. Claud Hall and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Baker, Sr. also Mrs. Lizzie Phillips, sister of Mrs. Hall, spent last Sunday with Mrs. Frank Mohead at Jefferson, and on Monday Mrs. Hall accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Parker to their home in Tupelo for a weeks visit. Mrs. Baker will

go for her this weekend to bring her home.

### FLORENCE HALL HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

On December 10th Mrs. Louise Mohead, assisted by her two sisters, Mrs. Burnell Walker and Mrs. Lynn Parker, honored their mother, Mrs. Claud Hall with a delicious birthday dinner. The table was covered with a beautiful lace cloth and in the center, an antique cake stand held a large white cake, baked by Mrs. Baker.

Mr. Hall blew out all of the candles while Happy Birthday was being sung.

A country cured baked ham was served with black cherry salad, hot rolls and coffee. Many other tempting side dishes completed the menu. Ambrosia and cake was served for dessert.

Mrs. Hall received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Mrs. Lizzie Phillips, sister of the honoree, was present to enjoy this occasion. Mrs. Hall motored to Tupelo that afternoon with her daughter, Mrs. Parker.

Mrs. Marge Isenberr who is quite ill, has been moved to Ochsner's Clinic in New Orleans. He is reported as doing very well.

Mrs. M. L. Wilson will leave Fri-

day for Balboa, Canal Zone to spend several months with her children. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Olthensburg. She will go by plane from New Orleans.

### STAG PARTY

On Saturday night, December 10, Mr. Burnell Walker treated a group of fellow railroad men to a steak supper. This get-together has got to be sort of an annual affair.

Those enjoying this bountiful supper and get-together included:

Mr. Partlow and son Bobby Partlow and Mr. W. O. Prather of Memphis, Jack and Tom Hardy, Mr. Floyd Ray, Mr. Theisman, Lloyd Grantham, Lee Shaw, James Haile, Victor Hammond, Burnell Walker, and extra guests, Otis Benoit and Andrew Whitaker.

### Basketball Game

The Grenada Hospital Nurses independent basketball team will play the Carter Garment Factory independent team of Senatobia on Thursday evening, Dec. 15 at 7:30 p. m. at the high school gym. Admission, adults, 25c, children, 10c.

### —PLEASANT GROVE NEWS—

#### Club Meets

Last Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 6th the Chapel Hill Home Demonstration Club held its regular monthly meeting and annual exchange of gifts in the home of Mrs. Jimmie James. Mrs. James' home was decorated throughout in keeping with the Yuletide season.

A pretty Christmas tree adorned the living room and on the mantel was an arrangement of pine boughs interspersed with Christmas ornaments. Mrs. James greeted her guests at the door and placed gifts under the tree. 16 were present. The meeting was called to order by the president and roll call answered with "What I want for Christmas". Minutes of last meeting were read and collection taken by the secretary.

We were happy to have a new member, Mrs. Curtis James, Sr.

Miss Elder did not give a demonstration. There was a feeling of sadness among the members, because we are losing Miss Elder to another county. She has been an efficient and sincere leader. We will miss her. Our love and best wishes go with her in her new field of work. Mrs. Phillips led in a contest with Miss winning the prize. Mrs. Henry James offered a prize for the most

artistically wrapped package. Miss Elder was selected to be the judge. Mrs. Jimmie James was the winner and presented her prize to Miss Elder. After the exchanging of gifts, Mrs. James assisted by Mrs. Guy Cohea, served a pretty plate consisting of potato salad in lettuce cups, Christmas candy, pickles, fruit cake with hot chocolate or coffee. The next meeting will be with Miss Grace Childs, in January with Mrs. Madge Woods as co-hostess.

#### Christmas Program

A Christmas tree with a Christmas program will be given at Pleasant Grove Church Wednesday evening, Dec. 21 at 6:30. A pageant, under the direction of Mrs. Phillips will be presented. Characters are: Mrs. J. B. Bailey, Ann Bailey, Frank James and Charles Trussell, Jr. The public is invited to attend.

#### Music Recital

Mrs. Griffith Shaw presents her piano pupils in recital Tuesday evening, Dec. 20 at 7:30 in Gore Springs High School auditorium. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Rev. James Gooch preached on trial at Duncan Hill Baptist Church in Calhoun County last Sunday morning. He was accompanied by his wife and Mr. H. V. Phillips. They were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walls. He also filled his regular appointment with Pleasant Grove Sunday night and was all night guest in the Griffith Shaw home. They returned to Laurel Monday.

Mr. Gifford Childs attended federal court at Oxford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cohea and sons Freddie and Carl were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cohea in Calhoun City.

Judson Dorroh was a dinner guest Sunday in the home of his brother Mr. Curtis Dorroh and family in Grenada.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard James, Mr. and Mrs. Frank James were Christmas shopping in Memphis last Friday. Also in Memphis on Friday were Mrs. Billie Shaw and Mrs. Griffith Shaw.

Donald Phillips, member of the school faculty at Benton, Miss., was home with his parents Mr. and Mrs.

H. V. Phillips over the weekend.

Both Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Phillips were patients in Calhoun City Clinic Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. Eli Williams accompanied by his little niece Patricia Jewel Sims, Grenada, was a visitor Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie James. Patricia Jewel remained for a longer visit.

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## Citizens Council In Need of Funds

(Editorial by Maj. Fred Sullens, Jackson Daily News, November 20, 1955)

The Citizens Council was launched in Mississippi for a worthy purpose—the preservation of the integrity and supremacy of the white race.

The work of the organization will be kept within that consecrated purpose.

Meaning, specifically, that the Citizens Council is pledged to do everything within the power of good citizens to prevent the United States Supreme Court from enforcing its order to abolish segregation in our public schools.

More than 50,000 loyal clear-eyed and fearless Mississippians have been thus far enrolled as members.

At this moment the state organization is in need of funds. The nominal membership fee is not sufficient for proper maintenance of its work.

Expenses have been kept to the minimum. At the state headquarters office in Winona there are only three salaried employees—the state secretary and two office clerks.

Robert Patterson, state secretary, retained at a very modest salary, is a veritable fiend for work. He labors from early morning until late at night. He lives, breathes and eats the work to which he is so deeply consecrated, and he surely does deserve the liberal support of all Mississippians who feel a heart interest in this great cause.

At least two additional field men are needed at headquarters office for the formation of more local councils but it is not financially possible to employ them at this time.

Enemies cannot be fought without weapons. The NAACP is being well financed by

Northern radicals for its fight to force social equality on Southern people. It is waging a systematic money-raising campaign and is getting substantial returns. The shakedown is very fruitful.

Here in Mississippi we cannot afford to let our battle wane or fail because of the mere lack of funds with which to pay legitimate expenses. We must be prepared to meet any emergency and just now there is urgent need for contributions that will be the sinews of war for the fight ahead.

Now here's where you come in, Mr. John Citizen:

If you sincerely believe in white supremacy, if you want to prevent the mixing of Negroes and whites in our public schools, prove your belief by sending a check to Ellett Lawrence, of Greenwood, chairman of the finance committee.

Recently the little city of Indianola sent in a donation of \$1,150. That would be a fine example for others to follow.

Here in Jackson the local council, one of the most active in the state, has not spent a penny except for clerical work. Bill Simmons, the highly efficient secretary, is serving free of charge.

That's generally true of local councils all over the state. It is the state headquarters office that needs a helping hand just now. Surely you will not refuse to do your share.

The day is dawning when all Mississippians must stand up and be counted.

You are either for the preservation of your own race or you are against it. There is no middle ground.

Well, the Ford Foundation chalked up the biggest philanthropic gift on record Monday, December 12th when a half billion dollars was set aside to aid colleges, hospitals, medical schools and institutions all over America. We carefully read the Mississippi list in the Commercial Appeal of those receiving gifts, and Grenada Hospital was not listed.

Mr. Tom King, sheriff-elect of Grenada County, attended the state-wide meeting in Jackson Monday. This meeting, called by Gov.-elect J. P. Coleman, had as its primary purpose, a closer cooperation of sheriffs and the governor in controlling law violators. He bluntly states a recall of any sheriff who shirks his duty. He is reported as saying that gamblers and juke joints face a four-year holiday. Kenneth Toler, Jackson, Miss. reporter said recently "That oft-promised new day in Mississippi politics may be close at hand". Well we will see right after he takes office on January 17.

College students are expected to come home this weekend for Christmas holidays. There will be parties and dances next week, visitors will be here. A nice compliment to your guests is to announce their visit in the local papers. Please call Mrs. Whitaker, 747 for all news items.

**This Is How It Is In California**

Dearest mother, Hope you had a nice Thanksgiving with Caroline and family. I know you found enough there to keep you busy; also know C. was glad to see you and needs you to lend her a hand.

Sunday was a fine day, almost warm in the sun and cold in the shade. We decided to go on a picnic, so I fried chicken, made sandwiches, a thermos of coffee, etc. and we set out in the car. We drove along the Sacramento River through Calif. "delta". The wide, clear river winds through some of the most beautiful flat country I have ever seen. On either side of the river, great country

houses, real old mansions, occupy the bluffs. We went through a number of little quaint towns. We drove about 30 miles and came to a commercial fishing pond and picnic ground area. The management furnishes tackle bait and stocked pond. You pay 40¢ a pound for the speckled trout you catch. It is impossible not to catch any fish and it isn't really sporting. I caught one which was 11 inches long; Steve caught one which was 12 inches long and one which was 7 1/4 inches long. The little one was free as it was under 8 inches. Then we quit as we hadn't stopped to fish but to eat our picnic. We really enjoyed our outing.

Nearly every day, I rake the leaves, but the ground gets covered all over again every night.

It is now afternoon and still so foggy that all the cars passing by have their lights on. We heard on the radio that the South was having a cold wave. We are having the same cool wave which arrived in October and if history repeats itself, the same cool wave will be with us until July.

Some juvenile delinquents are holding the sheriff of this county for ransom somewhere in the mountains. What will they do next?

Little Laura is very fish conscious. She looked at her orange juice this morning and excitedly said: "Mama, fish." She was pointing at the seeds which I neglected to get out.

Last night we went downtown and got my Mother (you) a Christmas present and showed little Laura the toy dept. She wants a rocking chair, a rocking horse, a fur kiddy, several dolls, a tricycle, a bicycle, wagon, etc. etc. She surely enjoyed looking at all the things. I think we will get her a rocking chair which plays a tune when rocked. She has a toy horse which Steve may attach rockers to and convert into a rocking

horse. We were glad to get your card on Saturday. We also enjoyed reading the GCW very much. I think Andrew is doing well writing the column. He oughtn't to kick poor Old Ike when he's down, tho. I admit I don't like him either. I will be so glad when we get a tennis player in the White House (Adlai). What did P. D. R. play? I think he just went swimming and Mr. Truman went walking and played poker.

Write soon. I love you.  
Your daughter, Dorothy.

### FEA RIDGE NEWS

(Mrs. G. J. Lane)

Miss Marie Thomas has returned home from the Grenada Hospital and is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lane spent last week in Memphis with their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Arendale, Mr. Arendale and children.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haven and girls visited in Grenada over the weekend.

Misses Barbara and Frances Lane spent the weekend with Miss Peggy Lane.

Mr. H. P. Lane is visiting his sister Mrs. W. H. Arendale and family.

Joyce Thomas is ill in the Grenada Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell and children and Joe Lane of Charleston visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lane recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mitchell are the proud parents of twins.



### THROUGH A WOMAN'S EYES

(By Mrs. W. W. Whitaker)

manger where the Baby Jesus lay to some it will be a season where personal greed is satisfied. To some, it will be a time of reverie, a time when the family gathers and hearts glow again with an almost forgotten love.

Let this be a joyful season. Let us exert every care in our behavior, and let this Christmas leave us with a deeper sense of devotion to our Lord and to our family and friends. Merry Christmas to all!

Christmas Is Near is here. To many it will be a season of worship as they again enter the Sacred Season of Christmas.

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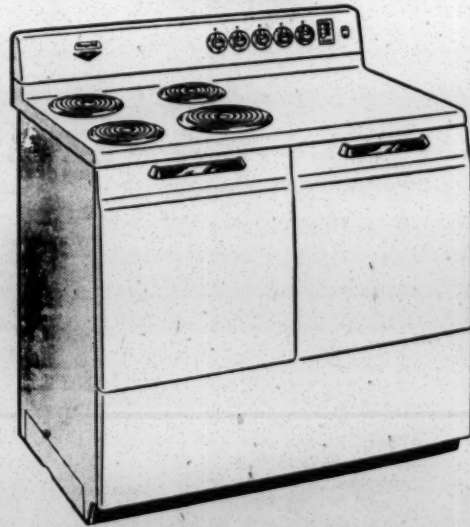
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### TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB MET DECEMBER 6TH (Delayed from last week)

Members of the 20th Century Club met on Tuesday afternoon in the Plantation Room at the Barwin Hotel. Lovely seasonal decorations were attractively arranged on tables. Red berries on greenery, red candles and bells, also tiny snowmen figurines, also a beautiful arrangement of colorful fruit, completed the theme. The two hostesses, Mesdames L. E. Noble and the club's new member, Mrs. Walter Wilder, greeted the guests. Mrs. Selwyn Jones, president, presided. Mrs. John Ben Perry, Sr., secretary, read the minutes and Mrs. Walter Allen McCool was welcomed as a new member.

On program were two talented members, Mrs. John Rundle who spoke eloquently on the subject "The Way To Christ". Mrs. Jack Yates' subject, presented most interestingly was "The Path to Buddhah".

At the conclusion of the program, a shrimp salad and coffee refreshment plate was served to the twenty eight ladies.

Mrs. G. S. Kent announced that at the December 20th meeting, each member may invite two guests. It will be held at the First Methodist Church at 3:30, and a program of music will be presented by Mrs. Page and her pupils and Grenada High School talent.

Refreshments will be served in the dining hall located on the ground floor of the church.

floor of the church.

Mrs. Howard Eads and four children of Hammond, La. visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Whitaker, Thursday through Sunday, at which time Mr. Eads came for them. They spent Saturday night in Calhoun City with their other parents and grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Eads.

Mrs. Clifton Morrison has moved to Jackson, Miss. to be with her children Francis, who is a medical student at the new college there, and Reanee who is a receptionist for one of the doctors at the new medical college. Mr. Morrison goes to Jackson each weekend, but returns to Grenada to look after his interests here.

Mr. Jim Cuff and sisters, Misses Margaret, Willye and Katie, also Mrs. T. H. Meek and Mrs. Fred Dailley motored to Greenwood Friday to visit the homes there which were festive with Christmas decorations, and were open to the public through the Garden Club of Greenwood.

Cokes were served and at the conclusion of play guests enjoyed a tempting salad plate consisting of tomato aspic and open-face sandwiches with coffee.

Mrs. Monty Daigre was the recipient of high score prize, and received a Christmas table cloth; Mrs. O. W. Scott, Jr., second high, and received a set of four guest towels; Mrs. Paul Lockett won low score prize, a wrought iron candelabra; and Mrs. Jim Howell, bingo, and received an attractive Yuletide table decoration.

Guests enjoying this lovely courtesy were Mesdames Ward Ames, C. C. Province, Paul Lockett, John Carter, Festus Bailey, W. H. Felts, Bob Sartwell, Jim Howell, George Murphy, W. E. Brown, Gordon Wilson, Archie Hoffman, Wayne Farrell, Hugh Stanfill, Wheeler Johnson, J. K. Avent Jr., Travis Allison, Francis Criss, Jake Thompson, Charles Crull, Bob Rhoades, Gaines Cooke, Donald Ross, Julian Lockett, Bert Bays, Lowrey Dyre, M. C. Campbell, Charles Arneson, A. T. Nadeau, Curlee Boone, Everett Estes, Preston Vance, Monty Daigre, Henry McRee, E. C. Hayward

Joel Williams, Milton Percival, Bob Carlson, Bill Manscoe, Knox Pierce, James Jacks, O. W. Scott, Jr., Ira Parks, Tommy Darras, Byron Hunter Stanley Krueger and Lynn Williams.

### DUCK HILL CULTURE CLUB

One of the highlights of the season was a dinner given by the ladies of the Duck Hill Culture Club honoring their husbands at the Monte Cristo Restaurant in Grenada, on last Wednesday evening, December 6.

There were twenty-seven members and their husbands and five guests present for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Embury and Mrs. C. F. Caffey were present.

The dining room was beautifully and artistically decorated depicting the Holiday season.

After a delicious turkey dinner, Canasta and Rook were played. Mr. C. A. Wilkins and Mrs. A. L. Taylor winning high score in Rook and Mr. Bob Lancaster and Mrs. J. M. Leigh winning high score in Canasta.

—Mrs. C. A. Wilkins, Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Lundy and family had as their guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McDonough and 3 boys of New Albany.

Miss Etelle Dubard of Natchez will arrive home this weekend for a holiday visit with her mother Mrs. W. V. Dubard Sr. and other relatives here.

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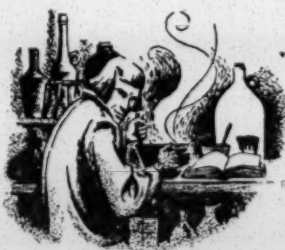
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Guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins and Mrs. Paul McElroy of Grenada.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carpenter and Mrs. Ruby Carpenter of Grenada were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hayslett and son.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Neville were their uncle Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ray of Alto, Texas, Mr. Troy Ray, Nacodoches, Texas, Mrs. J. C. DeCesare, Chatham, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brown and family, in a visit Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

#### Ashland

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walton of Raymond spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clanton and Elsie. Mr. and Mrs. Walton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gillon during their visit. Other guests in the Gillon home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray Tyner of Canton.

Mrs. Earl Cantrell and little son John Earl were weekend guests of their grandparents and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson of Eupora.

Lamar Chamberlain drove out from Grenada on Sunday afternoon for a visit with his mother Mrs. Maggie Chamberlain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Peoples, Merigold were accompanied by their daughter and granddaughter of Detroit and Mrs. Percy Brown and family, in a visit Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

#### J. A. Pyron and family.

The Gore Springs Home Demonstration Club met December 8th in the club room with Mrs. Arnold Dyre, President, presiding. After the singing of Silent Night, Holy Night by the group, Mrs. Sam Gillon led the devotional. Then the ladies repeated the Lord's Prayer. Roll call was answered with a suitable picture for the bedroom. Minutes of the November meeting were read by Mrs. George Leverette and adopted.

The president presented certificates for reading to Mrs. Maggie Chamberlain and Mrs. Earl Gillon.

Following a short business session, an annual Christmas party was enjoyed. This included the exchanging of gifts, a social period and refreshments. Gifts for the Old Ladies Home in Jackson were received.

At the County 4-H Achievement Banquet held in Grenada December 9th the following members of the Gore Springs Club received awards: Barbara Williams, Mary Lynn Pyron, Sarah Dyre, Christine Bowen, Donna Ann Leverette, Betty Ann Dyre, Patricia Dyre, Geneva Worsham, Allene Pyron, Elmer Blakely, Harold Ray Bowen, John Roy Frazier, Daniel P. Lott, James Windham, certificates of performance: Betty Dyre, Patricia Dyre; Clothing and Home Improvement medals: Mary Elizabeth Davis, Poultry medal; Sarah Dyre, Betty Ann Williams, Food Preparation medal; Betty Dyre, medal in public speaking; Allene Pyron, La Rose Carpenter, Christine Bowen, Patricia Dyre, Betty Dyre, dress revue medal; James Calder, medal electric; Donald Sulton, medal, field crops (cotton); Robert L. Lott, Carl Cohea, medal, poultry; Donald Sulton, medal, tractor.

Project winners were: Foods, Mary Lynn Pyron, Sarah Dyre, Betty Ann Williams; Clothing, Sarah Dyre, Patricia Dyre, Betty Dyre; Leadership, Patricia Dyre; Home Improvement, Betty Dyre Patricia Dyre; Personal Improvement, Betty Dyre; Public Speaking, Betty Dyre; Poultry, Mary Elizabeth Davis; Cotton, Donald Sulton; Forestry, Wayne Lott, John Roy Frazier; Pig, Donald Sulton; Dairy, Daniel P. Lott; Farm and Home Electric, James Calder. Receiving blue ribbons in Sears Poultry Chain prizes were Mary Elizabeth Davis, Carl Cohea and Robert Lott.

#### Peggy Gillon Is Three

On the afternoon of December 6th, Mrs. Earl Gillon entertained at her home in honor of the third birthday of her daughter, Peggy Hood.

Upon arrival, the guests presented the honoree gifts and assisted her in the opening of them. They played with toys and sang Happy Birthday to Peggy, as she blew out the three candles on a cake baked especially for the occasion.

Refreshments of ice cream and punch were served to the following guests: Nita and Michael Trussell, Ruby Shaw, Mike James, Bennie Shaw, Tommy Middleton, Shirley Marter, Mary Jo Dyre, Sammy Gillon, Jerilou James, Tommy Gillon, Martha and Barbara Gillon. Invited but unable to attend were Susy Clanton, Janet Halle, Sandra Stroud, John Earl Cantrell.

Other guests were: Mrs. Arnold Dyre, Mrs. Clifford Marter, Mrs. Billy Shaw and baby, Mrs. Charles Trussell, Mrs. Billy James, Mrs. Frank James, Mrs. G. H. Middleton, Mrs. Bobby Gillon, Mrs. Tom Gillon. Upon departure each guest was given a plastic horn and balloon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick McMahan and baby of Memphis were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. McMahan. Mrs. P. R. McMahan returned to Memphis with them, enroute to Hop-

kinsville, Ky. to visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Banasiewicz. Mrs. Banasiewicz is recuperating from a seige of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowen Sr., Supt. O. D. Spratlin Mrs. Tom Williams, Mrs. W. M. Rook, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sulton, and Mrs. Arnold Dyre attended the Grenada County 4-H Achievement Banquet and program held at the city hall in Grenada on Dec. 9.

Rev. James S. Clark will be visiting preacher at Providence Baptist Church on Sunday, Dec. 16 at both morning and evening services. Services will be at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. He will visit in the Buford Martin home.

#### Advertisement For Bids

Sealed bids will be received on January 17, 1956, at 2:00 p. m., by Trustees of Grenada Methodist Church, Grenada, Mississippi, for extensive alterations to the Grenada Methodist Church Building. Alterations include changing partitions, new asphalt tile floors, painting, structural repairs, waterproofing, changes in kitchen equipment, plaster furring around duct work, electrical wiring and lighting fixtures. Detailed plans and specifications are available from the architect, Charles H. Dean, Jr., Box 4432, Jackson, Mississippi.

This 14, day of December, 1956.  
—Grenada Methodist Church.  
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Bidders are hereby informed that the City of Grenada does not pay State Sales Tax or Federal Excise taxes. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

R. A. Clanton, Mayor.  
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#### ARMY RECRUITING NEWS

Major James C. Mathis, Army Recruiting Officer for the State of Mississippi, with Headquarters in Jackson has announced that special authority has been received from the Department of the Army to enlist male individuals from the state to form a special Mississippi Engineer Platoon. Individuals enlisting in this platoon will leave together and train together during their period of basic training.

The enlistment of this engineer platoon is to be accomplished at Jackson on December 30, 1956, composed of men throughout the State sent in by local Army Recruiters.

Individuals interested in becoming a member of the Mississippi Engineer Platoon, should contact Sfc Clyde K. Schiele, phone 1416-J, Grenada, your local Recruiter, located at Room 12, Evans Building in Grenada.

If you haven't seen the "Fat Man" yet, then go down on Depot St. next to Spotless and take a look.

We were happy to have at our service Sunday night Mr. Jim Shaw and Mr. Sally from Harmony Baptist Church in Montgomery County.

#### Mrs. T. W. Buchanan Dies In Jackson

Mrs. Taxanna Whitten Buchanan of Jackson, Miss., died at her home there early Monday, December 12, 1956 and was buried at Rosebloom Cemetery at 2 p. m. Tuesday.

Rev. Felix Sutphin officiated. At 10 a. m. Tuesday, services were held at Wright and Ferguson Funeral Home in Jackson.

Surviving are: one daughter, Miss Anna Buchanan of Jackson; seven sons, Rex of Durant, Wesley of Jackson, W. B. Buchanan, supt. of Holcomb Consolidated School, Silas of Tupelo, John of Cascells, Frank of Kosciusko, and George of Philipp. Also eight grandchildren. Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. W. L. Jones of Jackson and Mrs. Ed Burt of Rosebloom and a brother, J. I. Whitten of Rosebloom. To the bereaved ones we extend sympathy.

#### Mail Earl For Christmas

Postmaster Donadi Sharp expressed his thanks to every one in Grenada for their cooperation so far on the annual "mail early for Christmas" campaign. Time is now rapidly running out for late mailers. The postmaster urges that you use Air Parcel Post combined with Special Delivery for gift packages, and Air Mail postage for your Christmas cards going to other states.

Every postal employee is digging in for the final big rush. If you will cooperate by mailing now, your Christmas cards and gifts will arrive by December 26th. Let's help the postmaster and his hard-working staff by taking care of all Christmas mailing immediately!

#### Big Margin Favors To Keep Control On Cotton

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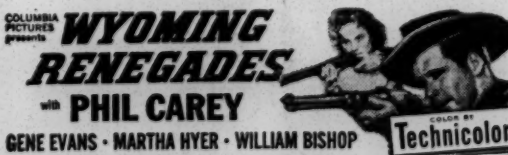
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